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In re Application of:

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SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PERFORMING

ADMISSION CONTROL FUNCTIONS IN A

DATA NETWORK

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner For Patents

P. O. Box 1450

Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

In response to the Office Action mailed May 24, 2004, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to reconsider the rejection of the claims in view of the following amendments and remarks. Please amend the Application as follows.